

VANA VANI MATRICULATION HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL
IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI – 600 036.

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NOTE:

- * Parents are requested to view the school website for all updates.
- * The school re-opens on 03.10.2017 (Tuesday) for the II Term.
- * Attendance is compulsory on the re-opening day.
- * NSS girls unit camp is scheduled from 23.09.2017 to 29.09.2017
- * Students of class XII will be taken on an excursion to Kodaikanal from 25.09.17 to 29.09.17
- * Holiday worksheets for classes I to V can be viewed in the school website.

2017 – BOARD TOPPERS

SCIENCE STREAM

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| 1. SAI SREE CHANDRA.S | 1173/1200 |
| 2. SANDHYA.G | 1166/1200 |
| 3. RAMANABALAN.R | 1163/1200 |

COMMERCE STREAM

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| 1. KRISHNA VENIJ | 1186/1200 |
| 2. BHAVIK SINGAL | 1180/1200 |

2017 – SSLC TOPPERS

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| 1. BHARATH KUMAR.D.P | X | A | 496/500 |
| 2. KAVISA.S.K | X | B | 493/500 |
| 3. BALAJI SUBRAMONIAM.P | X | B | 492/500 |

BEST TEACHER AWARDS-2016-2017- Congratulations !

* On 5th September Prof. M.S. Ananth, Ex Director-IITM was invited to address the teachers, and gave away awards in the presence of the Chairman Prof.Arun K. Tangirala, the Secretary Mr. R. Muralidharan, the Principal Mrs. Kaveri Padmanabhan and the Vice-Principal Mr. Xavier Sagayanathan. The following teachers received the awards:

- * Mrs.C. Uma, Nursery Section
- * Mrs.D. Uma Maheswari, Primary Section
- * Mrs.Indra Raghukumar, Middle School
- * Ms.S.Lalli, High School
- * Mrs.Princy Tom, Higher Secondary Section
- * Mr.K.Selvakumar of Physical Education Department received the Endowment award for the 'Best Teacher' initiated by Mr. S. Sambasivam, the Ex-Secretary of VanaVani.
- * Mrs.M. Latha- Administrative Staff received an 'Award of Recognition' under non-teaching staff category.

- * **Chandra's Endowment Award** - To teachers for their invaluable service at Vana Vani : 2017-2018 :
Mr. Xavier Sagayanathan
Mrs. G.Revathi

- * **Vana Vani Golden Jubilee Award 2017-2018:** Mrs. S. Thirupurasundari
Mrs. Malliga George

KINDERGARTEN

- * On July 8th Dr. S. Yamuna, a Consultant Pediatrician and Adolescent Physician, an expert in child and adolescent mental health presided over the Parent Teacher Meeting and spoke about permissive parenting and autocratic parenting.
- * On July 31st and August 31st - Puppet shows on good manners, cleanliness, good habits and moral stories were presented by the teachers of the nursery section .

Parent—Teacher Meeting:

- * Primary section's Parent- Teacher Meeting was held on 17th June and 24th June 2017. Mrs. Harini Ramanujam, an educationist was the special invitee and addressed the parents.
- * Parent Teacher Meeting for High and Higher Secondary was held during the I term. Chairman Prof. Arun K. Tangirala briefed the parents of class XII about the various programs including tests chalked out for the year and also clarified certain queries raised by them.

தமிழ்த்துறை

காமராசர் விழா

காமராசர் விழா கல்வி வளர்ச்சி நாளாக ஆண்டு தோறும் நம் பள்ளியில் கொண்டாடப்பட்டு வருகிறது. இந்த ஆண்டு தொடக்கப்பள்ளி மாணவர்கள் உரையாடல், இடைநிலைப்பள்ளி மாணவர்கள் பேச்சு, மேல்நிலைப்பள்ளி மாணவர்கள் கவிதை மற்றும் பட்டிமன்றமும் நிகழ்த்தி நிகழ்ச்சியைச் சிறப்பாக நடத்தினர்.

முத்தமிழ் விழா

இந்த ஆண்டு நடைபெற்ற முத்தமிழ் விழாவில் இருபதுக்கும் மேற்பட்ட பள்ளிகள் கலந்து கொண்டு விழாவைச் சிறப்பித்தன. மாணவர்கள் தங்கள் திறமைகளை வெளிப்படுத்த வாய்ப்பாக முத்தமிழ் விழா அமைந்தது என்பதில் ஐயமில்லை. எஸ்.பி.ஓ. அண்ணா நகர் பள்ளி சுழல் கேடயத்தைத் தட்டிச் சென்றது. பள்ளியின் செயலாளர் அவர்களும், பள்ளியின் முதல்வர் அவர்களும் வெற்றி பெற்ற மாணவர்களுக்குப் பரிசினையும், சான்றிதழினையும் வழங்கி விழாவினைச் சிறப்பித்தனர்.

போட்டிகள்:

நம் பள்ளியின் இலக்கிய மன்றம் சார்பில் மாணவர்களுக்குப் போட்டிகள் பல நடத்தப்பட்டன. மேலும் ஸ்ரீராம் இலக்கிய கழகம் நடத்தும் பேச்சுப்போட்டியில் D.பரதகுமார் 11-D சென்னை பள்ளிகள் அளவில் இரண்டாம் இடத்தையும், ஆகாஷ் 11-D, ஜனனி 12-A ஆகியோர் ஓவியப்போட்டியில் ஆறுதல் பரிசினையும் பெற்றனர்.

ACTIVITIES

The Interhouse cultural events conducted for the I term were Instrumental music, Classical dance, Quiz, Ship wreck, Channel surfing, Group dance and Ad-Zap.

- * Ms.G. Lakshmi , the supporting staff completed her 32 years of devoted service in Vana Vani on 31st July 2017. Vana Vani wishes Ms.Lakshmi the very best of health and happiness in her retired life.

CELEBRATIONS

INVESTITURE CEREMONY: 07.07.2017

The swearing –in ceremony of the student council took place in the school premises. Ms.Sundari Sivasubbu(Communication Specialist- CSRS sustainability 4CL Foundation, HCL Technologies) was the Chief Guest . She administered the ‘oath of office’ to the newly elected members of the students council.

Annual Day :

On August 10th, the 54th Annual Day was celebrated at SAC, IIT. The theme was **SANGAMAM** around which all the cultural events revolved. Prof.P.Gautam, Director, AU-KBC Research Centre , Anna University, was the Chief guest.

Vana Mahotsav : 05.07.2017

The ECO club students celebrated Vanamahotsav Day. Dr.C.V. Subash, Scientist spoke to students about the usefulness and importance of preserving native trees and planted 30 saplings given by tree bank. Mr. Mullaivanam, Chairman of Tree Bank donated saplings and taught the students how to be more environment friendly.



The Independence Day was celebrated with fervour in the school premises. The Chairman of Vana Vani Prof.Arun K.Tangirala was the Chief guest of the day.

Vana Vani’s extravaganza Vankids, VanQuest and VanFest, was conducted on 28th and 29th July 2017. It was inaugurated by Ms.Janani Rajan, Carnatic Musician and Actor. Around 34 schools took part in the various events organized for the children of different age groups.The Hindu Sr.Sec.School, bagged the overall champions trophy in VanFest. D.A.V Girls Sr.Sec.School, Gopalapuram bagged the overall championship in VanKids. The valedictory function for VanFest was held on 29th July 2017. The Chief guest Mr. Hari Bhaskar graced the occasion and handed over the champions trophy.

Vanquest 2017 :

Dr.Manu Jaiswal and Dr.Mahaveer Kumar Jain - Dept. of Physics,IITM conducted DemoQuiz for students of classes IX to XII.

Dept. of Mathematics conducted Number Quizzards. Prof.K.Narayanaswamy, Dept of Computer Science,IITM conducted the program.

Dept of Chemistry conducted a safety workshop for Laboratories in schools with the theme safety in school laboratories/fire safety for city school teachers and lab assistants. The workshop was marked by guest lectures and fire safety demonstrations by Mr.Pandurangan(Sr. Consultant on safety, advisor for IITM) Prof.B.Rajakumar, Dept of Chemistry, IITM and Mr.N. Elumalai, Chief security

TEACHERS’ DAY CELEBRATION:

On September 8th and 9th parents conducted events exclusively for teachers. We appreciate and thank the parents for their warm gesture. Our special thanks to Mr.R.Keerthivasan (Parent Representative) for co-ordinating the event.

CLUB ACTIVITIES

* **NSS girls unit** of VanaVani was officially inaugurated on 8th August 2017 in the school premises. The Chief Guests of the day were D.L.O Mr. Mohamad Sitheek and Dr. Sampath Kumar.

On Independence Day, our school NSS girls unit participated in the parade of IITM. Among the eight platoons, our NSS girls unit was adjudged the best unit and won a cash prize of Rs.10,000/-. Baladharshini.B of XI C was awarded Rs. 2000/- for being the best platoon leader.

***BINIT CLUB :**

The new office bearers for BINIT club were installed on 5th September 2017. The chief guest of the day was Rtn. Ram Srinivasan. Nikita Maria of X C was installed as president and Tawfeeq Hussain.A of class X A as Secretary.

***INTERACT CLUB :**

On 25.07.2017 the inauguration of the interact club took place in the school premises . Rtn. Devi Krishna was the chief guest and around ten interact club members for the academic

WORKSHOPS

***TGELF :** A Workshop was conducted for the teachers on the specialized curriculum « SKILLD » on 16th and 17th June 2017. Mrs.M.Anuradha, Mrs. Srilatha, Mrs. Indra Raghukumar, Mrs.V.Sasikala attended the session.

* Students of class VIII were taken on a field trip to the Legislative Assembly of TamilNadu on 3rd July to witness the proceedings of the assembly. The students were accompanied by Mrs. Gitanjali Elangovan , Mrs.C.S.Brindha and Mrs.S.Sasirekha.

* **Cancer Awareness Program** was conducted on 20th July for class VIII students followed by a demonstration of breast cancer for all teaching and non-teaching staffs.

* On 17th June 2017, Dr.V.Srinivasa Chakaravarthy (Prof. Dept. Biotechnology, IITM) spoke about Bharati Script and also taught our students to write. He also demonstrated some games through which children can learn this script.

***Career Counselling on 08/06/17:** Hindustan Group of Institutions arranged a career counselling programme for class XI and XII.

* Association of Geography Teachers of India conducted **Geography Talent Test** on 31st August 2017. Around 148 students from both Middle and High school took part in the exam. Results awaited.

***Harmony 2017** is a unique school level international event conducted by The Global Education & Leadership Foundation and was held on 30th Aug, 2017. Our students Shree Pooja.T – XI D, Shreena Williams – XI D, Samyuktha.K – XI D, Anagha .J.S – XI A and Ranjana Priyadarshini.R – XI A participated in « Street Blenders » (Street Play) and Kavya .G.V – XI A, Haritha Sreedhar XI B, Kavya.S – XI A and Priyanka.M – XI D participated in Sense Reason & Intellect (Debate Competition). A leadership workshop was conducted by Mr. Rahul Augustine.

COMPETITIONS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

GITANJALI .V of VII A won the following trophies in Squash.



S.NO	YEAR	TOURNAMENT	PLACE	POSITION
1.	2016	ISA Open	Chennai	I
2.	2017	Delhi Gymkhana	Delhi	I

* Students from various schools were invited to take part in the project competition conducted by CSIR-CLRI where the students had to present a brief write up based on “**Sustainable Technology for Making a Better World**” . Balaji Subramoniam.P of XI B, Bharath Kumar D.P of XI C and S.Shreyas of VIII A presented the topics Pizeo electric transducer, Hologram based technology and Ideas on Health App respectively. They have been short listed from among 300 project ideas and will be attending an interview on 23/09/17 at CLRI for the next level.

INTERSCHOOL COMPETITIONS : St. Britto’s Academy

Competition	Name	Class & Section	Postion
ADZAP	Sandhya.M	VIII B	I
	NandaKishore.K	VIII A	
	Shreyas.S	VIII A	
	Navamithra.S	VIII B	
	Biswajith Ghatuary	VIII B	
	Sowmya.R	VIII C	

Competition	Name	Class & Section	Position
BVM Culturals			
Poster Making	Elaiyabharathi.M	XII A	I
	Varsha Vasudevan	XII D	
D.A.V.Girls, Gopalapuram- Cultural Fest			
JAM	Jwalika Balaji	XII D	I
Ashram ARM Fest			
Rapbattle/Beat Boxing	Aishwerya.G	X C	II
Dance	Sanjay.S	XII D	III
	Amirthalakshmi.M	XII D	
	Sugesh.M	XII D	
	Sruthi.K	XII D	
	Sneha.N	XII D	
	Aiswarya.C	XII D	
	Abdul Reyas.K	XII A	

The following students Sai Ram. S of IX C , Pradeish Misara of IX A, Mukesh. M of XI A and Bharath Kumar.D.P of XI C attended a one day camp on Ocean Technology conducted by NIOT. They won the 4th place in the Quiz competition.

On Tuesdays, High and Higher Secondary students listened to lectures from various professionals. They gave a brief lecture followed by question hour which was very helpful in clearing the doubts of the students and paved way for right choice of their career.

SPORTS NEWS



SPORTSDAY:

* The 53rd Annual Sports Day for the Middle ,High and Higher Secondary students was conducted at the IIT stadium on 10th August 2017. Captain J.Ganesh ,First Battalion, The Mahar Regiment was the Chief Guest . He took the salute and declared the Annual Sports Meet open. Mr. K. SelvaKumar presented the Annual Sports Report. The Sports Secretary Harshini Prabha .K .R of XII C delivered the vote of thanks. Godavari house bagged the over all championship .

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS 2017-2018



ZONAL LEVEL RESULTS IN GAMES



BASKETBALL BOYS:

UNDER-17: WINNERS - VANAVANI MHSS, IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI

UNDER-19: WINNERS - VANAVANI MHSS, IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI

BASKETBALL GIRLS:

UNDER-14: WINNERS - VANAVANI MHSS, IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI

UNDER-17: RUNNERS - VANAVANI MHSS, IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI

UNDER-19: WINNERS - VANAVANI MHSS, IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI

HANDBALL BOYS:

UNDER-14: WINNERS - VANAVANI MHSS, IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI

UNDER-17: WINNERS - VANAVANI MHSS, IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI

UNDER-19: WINNERS - VANAVANI MHSS, IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI

HANDBALL GIRLS:

UNDER-14: WINNERS - VANAVANI MHSS, IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI

UNDER-17: WINNERS - VANAVANI MHSS, IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI

UNDER-19: WINNERS - VANAVANI MHSS, IIT CAMPUS, CHENNAI

FOOTBALL BOYS:

BADMINTON:

UNDER-17 WINNERS - OVIA.P.R (IX-A)

ATHLETICS ZONAL LEVEL

Our school boys team won the overall championship for past 21st Consecutive years.

Our school girls team won the overall championship for past 11th consecutive years.

The following Students won the Individual Championship and prizes in many events.

UNDER-14 GIRLS:

G.KEREEN BOAZE (VIII-B) - Individual Championship

DISCUS - FIRST PLACE

LONG JUMP - FIRST PLACE

80MTS HURDLES - FIRST PLACE

600 MTS - FIRST PLACE

INSUDAR.G (VI-A) : LONG JUMP-SECOND PLACE

UNDER-14 BOYS:

VIJAY NIDHIS (VIII-A) : LONG JUMP-SECOND PLACE, 600MTS-SECOND PLACE

SUDHARSAN.S (VIII-A) : 600 MTS-FIRST PLACE

UNDER-17 GIRLS:

P.SHIVANI (X-B) - Individual Championship

100 MTS - FIRST PLACE

200 MTS - FIRST PLACE

TRIPLE JUMP - FIRST PLACE

LONG JUMP - FIRST PLACE

HARINI.U (IX A) : 400MTS -FIRST PLACE, HIGH JUMP -SECOND PLACE

ASHWITHA.B (IX A) : 3000MTS -THIRD PLACE

MIRUDULANI.S (IX C) : TRIPLE JUMP & 400MTS -SECOND PLACE

NIKITA MARIA (X C) : SHOT PUT -FIRST PLACE

AISHWERYA.G (X C) : 800MTS -FIRST PLACE, JAVELIN THROW -THIRD PLACE

UNDER-17 BOYS:

K.R.ARAVIND AKASH (X- A) - Individual Championship

200 MTS - FIRST PLACE

400 MTS - FIRST PLACE

TRIPLE JUMP - FIRST PLACE

HIGH JUMP - FIRST PLACE

SRI RAMA KRISHNAN.S (IX A) : 3000MTS-SECOND PLACE

BALA GANESH.K (IX A) : 3000MTS-FIRST PLACE, 1500MTS-SECOND PLACE

PRANAV.R -IX C : 800MTS-THIRD PLACE

VIVEKANANDHAN.A (X A)

100MTS - FIRST PLACE

200MTS - SECOND PLACE

LONG JUMP - SECOND PLACE

UNDER-19 GIRLS:

D.HEMALATHA (XI A) - Individual Championship
 100 MTS - FIRST PLACE
 200 MTS - FIRST PLACE
 TRIPLE JUMP - FIRST PLACE
 LONG JUMP - FIRST PLACE

VIKSHARA.K (XII B) : SHOT PUT-SECOND PLACE
 PORKAVIA (XI A) : JAVELIN-FIRST PLACE, DISCUS-SECOND PLACE
 KAVYA.S (XI A) : HIGH JUMP-FIRST PLACE, 100MTS HURDLES-FIRST PLACE
 HARSHINI PRABHA.K.R (XII C)
 - LONG JUMP -SECOND PLACE, TRIPLE JUMP-SECOND PLACE

BALA DHARSHINI.B (XI C)
 DISCUS - THIRD PLACE
 JAVELIN - SECOND PLACE
 1500MTS - FIRST PLACE
 800MTS - SECOND PLACE

UNDER-19 BOYS:

KUMARAN.M (XII D) : 3000MTS-THIRD PLACE
 DINESH.N (XI C) : 1500MTS-FIRST PLACE, 800MTS-FIRST, LONG JUMP -SECOND PLACE
 KEVIN RAJU.A.R (XII A) : DISCUS THROW-THIRD PLACE
 KARTHICK.D (XII C) : 110 MTS HURDLES-THIRD PLACE
 SAI KRISHNA .A.G (XI B) : 200MTS -FIRST PLACE

Our school won gold medal in 4x100 mts relay in all the categories under 14, 17, and 19 in both boys and girls.

GYMNASTICS:

G.R HARIPRIYA (VI- A) won THIRD PLACE in CIYF GYMNASTICS
 UNDER-17 CATEGORY AT CHENNAI INTERNATIONAL YOUTH FEST 2017

SWIMMING:

M.SATHYA SAI KRISHNAN (IX- B) won the first place in KHELO INDIA NATIONALS 50mts BUTTERFLY event held at Newdelhi.

* 34th SUB -JUNIOR STATE MEET HELD AT AQUATIC COMPLEX VELACHERY.

100mts BUTTERFLY - SECOND PLACE
 50 mts BUTTER FLY - FIRST PLACE
 50 mts FREE STYLE - SECOND PLACE

HAPPY HOLIDAYS